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PATENT  
05-0029-UNI  
T7102(C)

In re application of: Cooper et al. Customer No.: 000201  
Serial No.: 10/522,485  
Filed: January 26, 2005  
For: POROUS BEADS AND METHOD OF PRODUCTION THEREOF

Group: 1773  
Examiner: Leszek B. Kiliman  
Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632  
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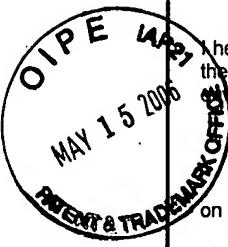
37 C.F.R. §1.16;  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED FEBRUARY 27, 2006**

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Sir:

In response to an Office Action mailed February 27, 2006, please consider the following remarks which begin on page 2 of this paper in the above-cited case.